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US NADEEC REP SENDS. (USCINCEUR ECJC 6111, DTG 160858 Z APR 73).

SUMMARY: (1) SHAPE BRIEFED COMMITTEE ON STATUS OF MANNING
FOR NATO PROGRAMMING CENTER (NPC) AND URGED NATIONS TO FILL

THE EXISTING 68 MILITARY VACANCIES. SHAPE IDENTIFIED 23 OF THESE POSTS AS EXTREMELY CRITICAL TECHNICAL/ MAINTENANCE MILITARY POSITIONS THAT WILL SERIOUSLY AFFECT NPC OPERATION IF NOT FILLED. SHAPE ALSO REFERRED TO A SERIOUS CIVILIAN ADMINISTRATIVE DEFICIENCY WHICH IS STILL BEING CONSIDERED BY THE MILITARY BUDGET COMMITTEE (MBC). (2) COMMITTEE AUTHORIZED THE CHAIRMAN TO FORWARD A LETTER TO THE SECRETARY GENERAL OUTLINING THE SECRETARIAL REQUIREMENTS FOR THE NADEEC AND ITS SUBCOMMITTEES. (3) THE ADDITIONAL TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE TO GREECE AND TURKEY WAS SUPPORTED IN PRINCIPLE BY ALL NATIONS EXCEPT FRANCE AND BELGIUM, WHOSE MAJOR CONCERN WAS COST OF ASSISTANCE. (4) A WORKING GROUP PAPER ON CENTRALIZED SYSTEM ENGINEERING WAS TABLED DURING THE MEETING BY THE WORKING GROUP CHAIRMAN. COMMITTEE AGREED TO FORWARD PAPER TO SHAPE AND NATIONS FOR COMMENTS OR ACCEPTANCE. END SUMMARY.

2. DISCUSSION OF MAJOR AGENDA ITEMS (REF) FOLLOWS:

A. ITEM 1. APPROVAL OF SUMMARY RECORD

COMMITTEE APPROVED SUMMARY RECORD NADEEC- R/2 WITH ONE MINOR CORRECTION.

B. ITEM 2. REPORTS BY CHAIRMEN, ADSC AND ADHC:

ADSC CHAIRMAN REPORTED THAT THE COMMITTEE IS WORKING WELL WITH MUCH PROGRESS MADE IN SOFTWARE CHANGES AND CORRECTIONS. THE NPC WILL BE ACCEPTED FROM CONTRACTOR IN MAY, AHEAD OF SCHEDULE, AS ALL EQUIPMENT IS INSTALLED AND CHECKED OUT. NO PROBLEMS WERE PRESENTED. ADHC CHAIRMAN REPORTED THAT THE COMMITTEE AND ITS SUB- GROUPS ON SUPPLY AND HARDWARE CONFIGURATION CONTROL HAVE MET AND WORK IS PROGRESSING. FRANCE RAISED QUESTION CONCERNING MEDIUM POWER RADAR (MPR) MAINTENANCE CONTRACT AND ADHC CHAIRMAN REPORTED THAT DURING LAST MEETING OF THE MPR SUBGROUP SOME NATIONS COULD NOT ACCEPT TERMS OF CONTRACT. ANOTHER MEETING WILL BE HELD IN MAY TO DEFINE A MAINTENANCE
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CONCEPT. NADEEC APPROVED MR. JO RGENSEN AS ADHC CHAIRMAN FOR REST OF YEAR.

C. ITEM 3. NATO PROGRAMMING CENTER MANNING SITUATION

SHAPE REPORTED THAT EVEN THOUGH PROGRESS HAS BEEN MADE WITH NATIONS ACCEPTING MILITARY VACANCIES (16 HAVE BEEN ACCEPTED SINCE LAST MEETING), THERE STILL ARE 68 MILITARY POSITIONS NOT ACCEPTED AND VACANT. (U. S. HAS ACCEPTED AND FILLED ITS 13 ALLOTTED SPACES) SHAPE IDENTIFIED 23 OF THE 68 VACANT POSITIONS AS BEING EXTREMELY CRITICAL TECHNICAL AND MAINTENANCE MILITARY POSITIONS THAT WILL HAVE AN ADVERSE EFFECT ON NPC OPERATION IF NOT FILLED. NATIONS ASKED HOW RESTRICTIVE WERE GRADE AND LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS. SHAPE INDICATED THAT IN MOST CASES

REQUESTED GRADE WAS NOT RESTRICTIVE, BUT PERSONNEL SHOULD HAVE WORKING KNOWLEDGE OF ENGLISH. THE ESSENTIAL REQUIREMENT WAS FOR TECHNICALLY QUALIFIED PERSONNEL. NETHERLANDS AND ITALY ACCEPTED 2 ADDITIONAL POSTS EACH, AND U. K. ACCEPTED 3 MORE POSTS. OTHER NATIONS INDICATED THEY WOULD REVIEW THEIR PERSONNEL SITUATIONS AND DO WHAT THEY COULD. FRANCE RAISED THE QUESTION OF SHAPE'S RESISTANCE TO ACCEPT FRANCE'S OFFER TO ESTABLISH A DETACHMENT AT THE NPC WHICH COULD ASSIST IN THE WORKLOAD. SHAPE REP. SAID FRANCE'S OFFER WAS BEING REVIEWED AND HOPED A SOLUTION WOULD BE REACHED SOON. SHAPE ALSO REPORTED ON THE CRITICAL SHORTAGE OF ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL. MBC IS STILL CONSIDERING A SHAPE REQUEST TO CONVERT 10 UNACCEPTED MILITARY POSITIONS TO 4 CIVILIAN POSITIONS IN THE ADMINISTRATIVE/ SECRETARIAL AREAS. CONVERSION OF THESE MILITARY POSITIONS TO CIVILIAN WOULD SOLVE A CRITICAL ADMINISTRATIVE PROBLEM.

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D. ITEM 5. APPROVAL OF TERMS OF REFERENCE OF ADSC.

COMMITTEE APPROVED THE ADSC TERMS OF REFERENCE.

E. ITEM 8. ASSISTANCE TO GREECE AND TURKEY.

SHAPE TABLED A DETAILED PLAN, OUTLINING THE REQUIREMENTS AND COSTS TO PROVIDE CONTINUING TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE TO TURKEY AS REQUESTED BY THE NADEEC AT THE LAST MEETING. THE REPORT ON GREECE'S REQUIREMENTS WAS NOT AVAILABLE. MOST NATIONS ENDORSED THE REQUIREMENTS AS OUTLINED BY THE SHAPE PAPER. THE BELGIAN

REP. HAD NO AUTHORITY TO AGREE TO THE REQUIREMENTS.
THE FRENCH REP. COULD AGREE TO THE TASKS AS OUTLINED BUT COULD NOT AGREE TO THE SOLUTION NOR TO THE COST ANALYSIS. SINCE THE SOURCE OF FUNDS WAS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF OTHER NATO COMMITTEES, THE NADEEC ENCOURAGED SHAPE TO REVIEW THE FUNDING REQUIREMENT, TAKING INTO CONSIDERATION FUNDS FOR THE PRESENT ASSISTANCE, AND TO FORWARD REQUIREMENTS TO THE APPROPRIATE NATO BUDGET COMMITTEE. THE NATIONS WERE ENCOURAGED TO ENDORSE THE REQUIRE-
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MENTS TO THEIR RESPECTIVE NATO BUDGET COMMITTEE REPRESENTATIVES.

F. ITEM 9. CENTRAL SYSTEM ENGINEERING CAPABILITY. CHAIRMAN, AD HOC WORKING GROUP, TABLED A WORKING GROUP PAPER AT THE MEETING. (FULL DISTRIBUTION WILL FOLLOW.) DISCUSSION CENTERED ON FEASIBILITY OF REACHING AGREEMENT ON THE PAPER AT THIS MEETING AND CONSENSUS WAS THAT THE PAPER HAD TO GO BACK TO CAPITALS AND SHAPE FOR COMMENTS BEFORE ANY NADEEC DECISION COULD BE MADE. U. S., SUPPORTED BY OTHER NATIONS, DESIRED TO HAVE SHAPE REVIEW AND COMMENT ON THE PAPER BEFORE NATIONAL COMMENTS WERE PRESENTED, AS SHAPE'S AGREEMENT WAS ESSENTIAL. GERMANY, ITALY, NETHERLANDS AND TURKEY COULD AGREE TO THE PAPER AS PRESENTED. FRANCE COULD AGREE SUBJECT TO COMMENTS FROM OTHER NATIONS. GREECE AGREED SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION. THE REMAINING NATIONS, BELGIUM, CANADA, DENMARK, NORWAY, PORTUGAL, U. K. AND U. S., EITHER HAD NO POSITION OR RESERVED ON THE PAPER. ALL NATIONS AGREED TO ASK SHAPE TO REVIEW AND COMMENT ON THE PAPER BY 20 MAY. THE NATIONS WERE REQUESTED TO FORWARD THEIR COMMENTS BY 3 JUNE. PROGRESS OR SOLUTION TO THIS AGENDA ITEM WILL BE DISCUSSED AT NEXT MEETING. (U. S. MISSION COMMENT: BASICALLY THE WG RECOMMENDED THAT A NADGE SYSTEM ENGINEERING BRANCH BE ESTABLISHED AS AN INTEGRAL PART OF THE NATO PROGRAMMING CENTER, WHICH IS OPERATED AND COMMANDED BY SHAPE PERSONNEL. MAJOR TASKS OF THE FACILITY (PREDOMINANTLY SOFTWARE- ORIENTED PROJECTS) ARE PROCESSED AND MUST BE UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED BY THE AIR DEFENSE SOFTWARE COMMITTEE- WHICH CONSISTS OF VOTING REPRESENTATIVES FROM ALL NATIONS AND SHAPE. SHAPE AND DENMARK QUESTIONED THE CAPABILITY OF THE SOFTWARE COMMITTEE AS BEING THE RESPONSIBLE OR TECHNICAL AGENCY FOR REVIEWING AND APPROVING OF TASK TO BE ACCOMPLISHED BY THE NPC/ SYSTEM ENGINEERING BRANCH. U. S. MISSION COULD SUPPORT TASKING OF THE NPC FOR SYSTEM ORIENTED PROJECTS (OTHER THAN THE NECESSARY SYSTEM ENGINEERING REQUIRED TO REVIEW SOFTWARE/ HARDWARE CHANGES TO THE SYSTEM) THROUGH THE COMMANDER, NPC WITH SHAPE ESTABLISHING PRIORITIES WHEN NECESSARY. END COMMENT.)

G. ITEM 15. ADMINISTRATIVE/ SECRETARIAL SUPPORT TO THE NADEEC

THE CHAIRMAN REPORTED THAT THE NATO DEFENSE SUPPORT DIVISION DID NOT WANT THE NADEEC SECRETARIAL REQUIREMENTS BUT THAT THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARIAT WOULD ACCEPT THE REQUIREMENTS.
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THEREFORE, IT WAS DECIDED TO DROP ANY REFERENCE TO THE DEFENSE SUPPORT DIVISION IN THE PAPERS. AFTER MUCH DISCUSSION, IT WAS DECIDED THAT THE ADSC SECRETARIAL SUPPORT AS NOW PROVIDED WAS PROPER AND NO CHANGE WAS NECESSARY. THE COMMITTEE AGREED THAT THE SECRETARIAL SUPPORT FOR THE NADEEC AND ADHC WAS NECESSARY AND THE REQUIREMENT SHOULD BE FORWARDED TO THE SECRETARY GENERAL. THEREFORE, THE CHAIRMAN WAS DIRECTED TO FORWARD A LETTER TO THE SECRETARY GENERAL OUTLINING THE REQUIREMENTS AND REQUEST THE SECRETARIAL SUPPORT BE PROVIDED TO FULFILL THE REQUIREMENTS. IN THE MEANTIME, UNTIL A DECISION BY THE SECRETARY GENERAL, THE SECRETARIAL SUPPORT FOR THE NADEEC WILL BE PROVIDED BY THE NPB SECRETARIAT AND THE SECRETARIAL SUPPORT FOR THE ADHC WILL BE FUNDED PROVISIONALLY FOR 1973 FROM THE NADGE O AND M BUDGET.

H. ITEM 18. NEXT MEETING. THE NEXT MEETING WILL BE 20 JULY IN TURKEY.
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